

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of

Inventors: Kenichi MIYOSHI, et al.
Application No.: New PCT National Stage Application
Filed: January 11, 2005
For: RECEIVING APPARATUS, TRANSMITTING APPARATUS AND
COMMUNICATION METHOD

INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Assistant Commissioner of Patents
Washington, DC 20231

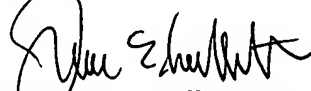
Dear Sir:

Pursuant to Rules 56 and 99, Applicants hereby call the attention of the Patent Office to the art listed on the attached Form PTO 1449. Copies of the art cited in the International Search Report (ISR), which issued by the JPO, are made available to the U.S. examiner in the national stage application, pursuant to MPEP 1893.03(g), and therefore copies of such art are not submitted herewith. The art cited in the ISR is listed on the attached PTO-1449 for an indication of consideration by the examiner. Copies of any other references listed on the PTO-1449, besides those cited in the ISR, are submitted herewith. US '467 corresponds to JP '025 and US '379 corresponds to JP '741.

Applicants present this art so that the Patent Office may, in the first instance, determine any relevancy thereof to the presently claimed invention, see Beckman Instruments, Inc. v. Chemtronics, Inc., 439 F.2d 1369, 1380, 165 USPQ 355, 364 (5th Cir. 1970). Also see Patent Office Rules 104 and 106.

Applicants respectfully request that this art be expressly considered during the prosecution of this application and made of record herein and appear among the "References Cited" on any patent to issue herefrom.

Respectfully submitted,



James E. Ledbetter
Registration No. 28,732

Date: January 11, 2005

JEL/spp

ATTORNEY DOCKET NO. L9289.04193

STEVENS, DAVIS, MILLER & MOSHER, L.L.P.
1615 L STREET, NW, Suite 850
WASHINGTON, DC 20043-4387
Telephone: (202) 785-0100
Facsimile: (202) 408-5200

FORM PTO-1449 U.S. Department of Commerce
(Rev. 4/92) Patent and Trademark OfficeINFORMATION DISCLOSURE
STATEMENT BY APPLICANT

(Use several sheets if necessary)

ATTY. DOCKET NO.

L9289.04193

SERIAL NO.

New PCT Nat'l Stage
Application

APPLICANT

Kenichi MIYOSHI, et al.

FILING DATE

January 11, 2005

GROUP

Unassigned

U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS

EXAMINER INITIAL		DOCUMENT NUMBER								DATE	NAME	CLASS	SUBCLASS	FILING DATE IF APPROPRIATE	
														YES	NO
			5	7	7	1	4	6	7	06/1998	Sato				
	2002		0	0	4	6	3	7	9	04/2002	Miki et al.				
		DOCUMENT NUMBER								DATE	COUNTRY	CLASS	SUBCLASS	TRANSLATION	
														YES	NO
		2001		5	3	7	2	8	A	02/2001	JP				
			6	1	4	1	0	2	5	05/1994	JP				
		2002		2	6	7	4	7	A	01/2002	JP				
		2002		9	7	4	1	A		01/2002	JP				
		1	1	1	7	7	5	3	6	07/1999	JP			Abstract	
		1	1	2	5	2	1	0	3	09/1999	JP			Abstract	
		5	8	1	2	5	9	3	6	07/1983	JP			Abstract	
		2001		1	1	9	4	2	6	04/2001	JP			Abstract	
		OTHER DOCUMENTS (Including Author, Title, Date, Pertinent Pages, Etc.)													
		PCT International Search Report dated November 4, 2003													

EXAMINER

DATE CONSIDERED

EXAMINER: Initial if citation is considered, draw line through citation if not in conformance and not considered.
Include copy of this form with next communication to applicant.